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MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 56th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

FREE CONFERENCE

Call to Order: By Senator John Hertel, on April 14, 1999 at 8:00 A.M., in Room 410 Capitol.

ROLL CALL

Members Present: Senator John Hertel

Senator Tom Beck Senator Glen Roush

Representative Paul Sliter Representative Joe McKenney Representative Gary Matthews

Members Excused: None.

Members Absent: None.

Staff Present: Stephen Maly, Legislative Council

Pati Jo O'Reilly, Committee Secretary

Please Note: These are summary minutes. Testimony and

discussion are paraphrased and condensed.

Committee Business Summary:

Hearing(s) & Date(s) Posted: HB 506, 4/11/1999

Executive Action:

HEARING ON HB 506

Opening Statement: Senator Hertel opened the Free Conference

Committee. **EXHIBIT** (frh81hb0506a01)

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Testimony:

Rep. Sliter addressed the committee, noting that they needed to change the effective date on this bill to October 1, 1999.

EXHIBIT (frh81hb0506a02)

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Senator Beck moved to adopt the amendment. Motion carried unanimously.

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Senator Hertel mentioned the need for further amendments or work on the bill and no members wanted to address this issue.

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Senator Beck moved to adjourn. Motion carried unanimously.

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ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 8:30 A.M.

Senator John Hertel, Chairman

Pati Jo O'Reilly, Secretary

EXHIBIT (frh81hb0506aad)